

WILSON AND LA FOLLETTE SPEAK

Attend Banquet of Periodical Publishers' Association.

OUR LAWS REMAIN UNCHANGED

New Jersey Governor Says Business System Is Different Now, but Statutes Have Not Changed—Senator La Follette Describes Growth of Corporations and Urges Amending Sherman Law.

Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and United States Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin were the principal speakers at the seventh annual banquet of the Periodical Publishers' association of America here.

Other speakers were Mayor Blankenburg and Detective William J. Burns. More than 600 of the publishers, writers and editors of the monthly and weekly magazines of the country were present. Colonel George Harvey was a guest, but he and Governor Wilson were at widely separated tables.

Both Governor Wilson and Senator La Follette spoke on the problem of popular government. Governor Wilson said the Constitution cannot grow old fashioned, but that some men can show that they are old fashioned in their way of applying its principles. He declared that he is in favor of steering by principles of government and not by forms of government and said that while he is a firm believer in the representative form of government, yet when it ceases to represent the people some other form must be found to correct it.

Two Theories of Government. "There are two theories of government," he said. "There are some people who believe that those who have the biggest material stake in the development of the country should guide its government. I have heard many a speechmaker during the past few months who did not include himself when speaking of the people."

He quoted at length from the bill of rights to show that all power was vested in and consequently derived from the people, even before the Constitution was adopted.

"In state after state," he said, "where the legislatures will not act for them, the people are seeking a means of recovering the direct power of the common government."

"Progressiveness means not getting caught standing still when everything else is moving. Our whole business system has changed, but our laws have not changed."

Sensor La Follette in his address said that organization of combinations had increased in the decade 1898 to 1908 from \$3,784,000,000 to \$31,672,000,000. He gave as a panacea for this evil the amendment of the Sherman law. He urged the enactment of specific prohibitions against well known practices that constitute unreasonable restraint of trade.

He said there is need of a commission to "stand between the people and the courts in order to investigate the facts and prohibit all unreasonable restraints not specifically described in the law."

PRESIDENT TAFT AROUSED

Realizes Time Has Arrived to Make Vigorous Campaign.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Taft's political advisers are preparing to carry on an aggressive campaign. The president and his political lieutenants will give the Roosevelt boom no quarter from now on. The president will, of course, avoid any open attacks upon Colonel Roosevelt or his actions, but the Taft people may be expected to meet every move of the Roosevelt boomers and to call for a showdown between the president's followers and the Roosevelt men.

The aggressive character of the Taft movement is indicated by the action of the St. Louis Republican city committee in rescinding its vote in favor of Roosevelt and in the pro-Taft developments that have occurred in other quarters.

The president himself has at last been aroused to the fact that he has been resting too long on his oars and that it will be necessary for him to come out and show fight.

LEAGUE CONVENTION CALLED

Republican Clubs Meet at Chicago at Time of Nomination.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The National League of Republican clubs is to meet in annual convention in Chicago at the same time as the Republican national convention, June 18. The call for the national league convention has just been issued by John Hays Hammond, president, and D. B. Atherton, secretary. It is expected 2,500 delegates will be present.

Comrade of General Custer Dead.

Detroit, Feb. 3.—General Luther S. Trowbridge, veteran appraiser of the port of Detroit, comrade of General Custer and veteran of the Civil war, is dead. He was seventy-five years old.

A dwarf sees farther than the giant when he has the giant's shoulders to mount on.

SENATOR DILLINGHAM.

Chairman of Senate Committee Investigating the Lorimer Case.



FAILED TO WORK AT TIMES

Detective Cross-Examined on Dictagraph Evidence.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Detective A. C. Bailey was cross-examined before the senate Lorimer committee as to how he asserts he "roped" Charles McGowan into admitting he testified falsely before the committee in saying he did not hear an alleged conversation on a train about a Lorimer election fund. Chairman Dillingham announced the committee had decided the examination of all the witnesses summoned by the government on the McGowan point must be concluded today.

The principal assault was on the alleged admissions of McGowan in the presence of Mr. Bailey and H. R. Kerr of Detroit at Toronto, when a dictagraph was employed. Bailey acknowledged the stenographer in the adjoining room, working the dictagraph, did not get all that was said. The instrument failed to work at times, he explained.

MURDERS THREE AND THEM KILLS HIMSELF

Wisconsin Man Slays His Father, Sister and Brother.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 3.—One of the worst tragedies in the history of Outagamie county was discovered when four dead bodies, three with bullet wounds and the other with a bullet wound in the head, were found at Binghamton, fifteen miles from Appleton.

The dead, all members of the same family, are: Lewis Mallahn, aged sixty-six years, shot in the head; William Mallahn, aged twenty-one years, throat cut; Dora Mallahn, aged sixteen years, throat cut; John Mallahn, aged eight years, throat cut.

The discovery of the bodies was made by George Mallahn, aged fifteen years, when he returned home from district school, about two miles distant from his home.

The little fellow found his sister lying in a pool of blood on the kitchen floor. He informed his brother Walter, aged fourteen, who accompanied him from school, and an older brother, Edward, aged twenty-four, who brought the boys home on his sled on which he had been hauling wood during the day.

The older brother immediately notified District Attorney F. J. Rooney, who left for the Mallahn home, accompanied by the sheriff.

The opinion of those who visited the home after the finding of the bodies is that William Mallahn committed a triple murder and then killed himself.

Lewis Mallahn's body was found in the barn, Dora's in the kitchen and those of John and William in the smokehouse.

William Mallahn, according to neighbors, had been acting strangely of late.

HE PLEADED TO BE HANGED

But Judge Sends Confessed Murderer to Prison for Life.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Feb. 3.—On bended knees Jesus Yriqui begged Judge Crow to sentence him to be hanged in expiation of the murders of Carlos Angrada and Juan Hernandez on Christmas. The court refused, sending him to San Quentin for life. Yriqui pleaded guilty several days ago, interrupting his trial to do so, and was brought into court for sentence.

"I am guilty," he moaned; "every night I see the faces of those dead men before me. I cannot sleep or eat. I want to be hanged."

CLOQUET HOSPITAL BURNS

Three Unconscious Patients Carried Down Ladder.

Cloquet, Minn., Feb. 3.—Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Cloquet hospital here and four patients on an upper floor had a narrow escape from suffocation, three of them being carried down a ladder unconscious. The fourth patient, a powerful lumberjack, was so crazed by fright the combined efforts of several men were required to get him out of the building. All were soon revived, however, and no serious effects are expected.

THIRD TERM SPECTER SEEN.

Roosevelt Candidacy Stirs It Up Once More.

HIS 1904 PLEDGE RECALLED.

Those Who Talk With Him Unwilling to Be Quoted—Uncle Sam's Success at Panama Due to Sanitation—Encouraging Immigration to Arid Lands. Senator Works on Suffrage.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN. Washington, Feb. 3.—[Special.]—"He will make a statement within the next few weeks defining his position." That or words to that effect have been printed time after time, the "he" being our old friend Theodore Roosevelt. And, what is very strange, those who have talked with the colonel and feel on intimate terms with him are afraid to positively affirm or deny anything concerning him for fear he will make a statement of some kind "throwing them down."

Those who actually know what is passing in the Roosevelt mind do not say what it is; consequently the guessing match continues without interruption. One thing only may be certain—the colonel will not get very deep into any situation unless he is sure he can win.

Third Term Specter. There is no denying the fact that the more the drift seems toward Roosevelt the more frequently the third term specter is seen. One might not notice it by skimming over the papers, but nearly all the dispatches making mention of Roosevelt have something to say about the third term.

It is in the mind of the people that Roosevelt himself raised this question when on the night of the election of 1904 he made the statement that he would not again be a candidate, for at the close of his term he would have served two terms, which had been decreed by usage to be the extent of any man's service as president.

A Real Suffragist.

Senator Works of California is a believer both in suffrage for women and in the settlement of national disputes by arbitration. In a recent suffrage meeting in Washington he combined his argument. Some one in the audience asked him how women would be able to enforce the measures they might support.

"Women can't fight and serve in the capacity of soldiers and policemen," said the "heckler."

"Now, I am not so certain about that," replied Senator Works. "But, granting the assumption, there is no need of fighting to enforce the law. The day has come when disputes may be settled by means other than that of the sword. The day of war is past."

"Senator," asked a young man, "would you run for congress against a woman candidate?"

"I certainly would," answered the senator deliberately. "Any woman in the state of California has a perfect right to run against me."

Credit to the Doctors.

The glory of achievement in the completion of the Panama canal belongs, according to Dr. Wiley, not to the great engineers of the country, but to health officers, bacteriologists, chemists, physicians and sanitarians.

"The French failed to dig the canal," he said recently, "not because of the lack of competent engineers, money, improved machinery and laborers, but because of death, pestilence and yellow fever. We learned a valuable lesson from the French and did not begin by sending engineers to Panama, but by sending health officers and scientific men to make a survey and establish sanitary conditions to make engineering possible. As a result the canal zone is the healthiest spot on earth, and if you fear death go there by all means, for the death rate is almost nothing."

Aid to Immigrants. Little by little the government is advancing its activities in giving aid to immigrants and settlers on arid western lands. At the recent banquet of the National Geographic society American grown dates were served for the first time in this country. Each guest received as a favor a box of dates from Arizona, grown under the supervision of the department of agriculture.

On the same day the senate immigration committee reported favorably a provision enabling the bureau of immigration to use nearly a million dollars annually in increasing its distribution of circulars containing information for homeseekers.

Seeking Information. Another significant thing is the fact that the director of experiment stations in the department of agriculture says in his report that our agricultural development had necessitated the expenditure of much more time and funds in furnishing information to prospective settlers than was ever the case before.

He states that it has been necessary to reprint nearly all the bulletins of both the practical and state series dealing with irrigated lands. Traveling agents from the experiment stations have toured this country giving advice and assistance to old and new settlers upon irrigation questions and improved methods.

When men are pure, laws are useless; when men are corrupt, laws are broken.—Disraeli

EDWARD TILDEN.

One of the Packers On Trial at Chicago.



Photo by American Press Association.

MARGINS GIVEN TO RIVALS

Government Introduces Damaging Code Telegram.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—A code telegram showing the average selling price and margins for Armour & Co., the National Packing company, Morris & Co. and Swift & Co. for sales of dressed beef in Boston for the week ended July 16, 1910, received at the Chicago offices of the National Packing company, was introduced in evidence at the packers' trial.

The message, which was received in due course of business, was addressed to Vice President Patterson, head of the dressed beef department; Assistant Manager Munnacke and President Edward Tilden of the National Packing company.

It was the first time in the trial that Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company and one of the defendants, had been mentioned as having received the prices and margins of competing companies.

FOLK LAUNCHES HIS CAMPAIGN AT JOPLIN

Former Missouri Governor Enters Race for Presidency.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 3.—Joseph W. Folk, former governor of Missouri, formally opened his campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination here at a meeting held under the auspices of the Joplin Folk for President club. The meeting was largely attended.

In presenting his claims for endorsement of Missouri Democrats Mr. Folk recalled the action of the state convention two years ago, which pledged its support to him. In reference to the candidacy of Speaker Champ Clark he said he believed the Clark boom was launched without the speaker's consent and that he was brought into the race by "his enthusiastic friends and the insistence of those elements opposed to the Folk candidacy."

The St. Louis city committee was attacked by Mr. Folk.

"It is dominated by the agents and representatives of the great corporate powers," he said, "and its members object to things I have done in my official career and they would support any one else through hatred of me."

The name of Woodrow Wilson was brought out by Mr. Folk when referring to the state convention to be held here on Feb. 20. He urged the co-operation of his friends and those of Governor Wilson, if he fails to get the convention endorsement, in the support of a progressive candidate.

During the next week Mr. Folk will make a campaign of rural Missouri.

MINERS' CONVENTION ENDS

Details of New Wage Agreement Left to Scale Committee.

Indianapolis, Feb. 3.—Delegates to the convention of the United States Mine Workers of America adjourned, leaving the details of a new wage agreement with the scale committee. Several meetings of the committee and bituminous mine operators ended with the miners demanding an increase of 10 cents a ton and the owners holding out for a decrease of the same amount.

The present contract will expire April 1 and attempts will be made before that time to reach an agreement, which will be submitted to the miners by referendum vote.

The contracts in the anthracite fields will expire at the same time and a conference of miners and operators will be held in New York on Feb. 24. The anthracite miners are asking for an increase of 20 per cent.

Pension Bill Passes House.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The pension appropriation bill, carrying about \$152,000,000, passed the house by a vote of 245 to 33, after several Southern Democrats had demanded a roll call vote. A provision excluding pensioners who live out of the United States was defeated by 160 to 133. The bill abolishes seventeen pension agencies which have been maintained in different cities.

BITTERLY FLAY ANTI-TRUST LAW

STRANGE QUADRUPLE MURDER

Two Men and Two Women Slain at Lawrence, Mass.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 3.—A ghastly quadruple murder in which a two men and two women were killed was revealed by the discovery of the bodies of the victims in a tenement in the heart of the city.

The dead are: Mrs. Annie Denis, thirty-five years old; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Savia, thirty-five and thirty years old, respectively, and an unknown man. A disturbance was heard in the Savia apartment by the family which lives downstairs, but no investigation was made.

The body of the unknown man was found in the kitchen with the throat cut and there were knife wounds on his body. In a corner were the bodies of Joseph Savia and his wife, both of whom had evidently met death during a bloody battle for their lives. In a bedroom adjoining was found the body of Mrs. Denis. Her throat had been cut.

STEAMER ALLEGHENY SINKS

Passengers and Crew Rescued by Other Colliding Vessel.

New York, Feb. 3.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Allegheny, which left here for Central America and the West Indies, sank seventy-five miles east-northeast of Cape Henry, off the Virginia coast, after a collision with the British steamer Pomaron, according to wireless dispatches received here.

The Pomaron, with the passengers and crew of the Allegheny on board and conveyed by the revenue cutter Onondaga, is making slowly for port, the message said.

The Allegheny sank not far from the point where the collision occurred, the Pomaron taking on board the sinking liner's passengers and crew.

DOUBLES NEWSPAPER RATE

Report of Postal Commission Submitted to President Taft.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Associate Supreme Court Justice Hughes submitted to President Taft the final report of the postal commission on the plan to increase rates for newspapers and magazines. The commission, it was reported, has recommended that the second class rate of 1 cent a pound be doubled. "Taft will send the report to congress with a special message giving his views."

MAINE HULK NOW FLOATS

Task of Raising Battleship Crowned With Success.

Havana, Feb. 3.—The protracted task of raising the sunken battleship Maine was crowned with success when the after section, which was not injured by the explosion and comprises approximately half the total length of the vessel, was set afloat.

Barely sufficient water was admitted within the cofferdam to free the hulk from the mud in which it was deeply imbedded, but it floats almost on an even keel, though somewhat down at the stern and much above its normal line of flotation in consequence of the removal of the heavy weights on deck, especially the after turret and its gun. The hull, into which a bulkhead has been fitted, proved water tight.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 2.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.08½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05½; May, \$1.06½; July, \$1.07½; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.12½; May, \$2.20½.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Feb. 2.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.00 to 7.00; fair to good, \$4.75 to 6.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.50 to 5.40; veals, \$5.00 to 6.25. Hogs—\$5.90 to 6.10. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.00 to 4.00; yearlings, \$3.25 to 5.50; spring lambs, \$4.00 to 6.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Wheat—May, \$1.04½; July, 97½¢; Sept., 94½¢. Corn—May, 69¢; July, 68½¢ to 68½¢; Sept., 68½¢. Oats—May, 52½¢; July, 48½¢; Sept., 42½¢. Pork—May, \$16.27; July, \$16.45. Butter—Creameries, 29 to 34¢; dairies, 25 to 31¢. Eggs—28 to 36¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 13 to 19¢; chickens, 11½ to 13¢; springs, 13¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Cattle—Beeves, \$4.80 to 8.50; Texas steers, \$4.60 to 5.80; Western steers, \$4.80 to 7.15; stockers and feeders, \$3.85 to 6.00; cows and heifers, \$2.20 to 6.75; calves, \$6.00 to 8.50. Hogs—Light, \$5.65 to 6.20; mixed, \$5.85 to 6.35; heavy, \$5.95 to 6.35; rough, \$5.95 to 6.10; pigs, \$4.00 to 5.30. Sheep—Native, \$3.15 to 4.65; yearlings, \$4.70 to 5.50; lambs, \$4.40 to 6.75.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—Wheat—May, \$1.07½; July, \$1.08½ to 1.08½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.08½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.07½; to arrive, \$1.07½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05½; to arrive, \$1.05½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.03½; No. 3 yellow corn, 63½¢; No. 4 corn, 59 to 62¢; No. 3 white oats, 49½ to 50¢; to arrive, 49½¢; No. 3 oats, 47 to 48½¢; barley, 90¢ to \$1.26; flax, \$2.10½; to arrive, \$2.10½.

Judge Grosscup and Financier Perkins Attack Statute.

DISCHARGE WRECKING CREW

Speaking at Tariff Club Banquet in New York George W. Perkins Says Time Has Come to Put Construction Gang on Job—Judge Grosscup Says Laws So Illegible Should Not Be on Statute Books.

New York, Feb. 3.—Former Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago and George W. Perkins, the New York financier, were speakers at the banquet of the Tariff club and at first the 500 diners thought they also had President Taft as a guest of honor.

In the midst of the dinner a man bearing striking resemblance to the president was ushered into the ballroom of the Waldorf, accompanied by an aide dressed in uniform, resembling Major Archibald Butt. The toastmaster announced the "president's" arrival and there were several minutes' cheering before the joke was realized. Mr. Grosscup and Mr. Perkins each flayed the anti-trust statute. "Laws so illegible should be no part of the jurisprudence of a free country," Mr. Grosscup said. He asserted that the moving column of national life was toward "organized co-operation in the place of brutal individual fight," and said he wanted to see the "belated column of national law brought up to where it would support the moving column of the nation's life."

Mr. Perkins spoke in part as follows:

Dissolution a Mere Delusion.

"There is no legal connection between the evils that have existed in our large industrial concerns and the remedies that the government is trying to apply. In place of regulation we are given segregation and are told that dissolution is the solution, while every practical man knows that dissolution is a mere delusion. Government regulation is all right, but government repression is all wrong."

"Somebody in this country is making a colossal mistake. Somebody is woefully wrong. Is it the theoretical politician or the practical business man? Would it be a mistake at least to try to regulate before we strangle?"

"A constructive program does not present insurmountable difficulties. Congress could in a short time adopt a policy that would give both immediate and prospective relief and this could be done by working somewhat along the following lines:

"First—Create at once, in or out of the department of commerce and labor, a business court or controlling commission, composed largely of experienced business men.

"Second—Give this body power to license corporations doing an interstate or international business.

"Third—Make such license depend on the ability of a corporation to comply with conditions laid down by congress when creating such commission and with such regulations as may be prescribed by the commission itself.

Publicity an Essential Feature.

"Fourth—Make publicity, both before and after licenses are issued, the essential feature of these rules and regulations. Require each company to secure the approval of said commission of all its affairs, from its capitalization to its business practices. In the beginning lay down only broad principles, with a view to elaborating and perfecting them as conditions require.

"Fifth—Make the violation of such rules and regulations punishable by the imprisonment of individuals rather than by the revocation of the license of the company, adopting in this respect the method of procedure against national banks in case of wrongdoing."

As a means of obtaining prospective relief Mr. Perkins suggested the following:

"First—The house and the senate to join at once in supporting a commission to make a careful study of the Sherman law and the various suggestions that have been made regarding its repeal, amendment and amplification.

"Second—Said commission to study and report on the wisdom and practicability of a national incorporation act.

"The time has now come when we are obliged to stop and fight the question out," he added. "The developments of the last few months make it clear that dissolution is no solution. The wrecking crew has been working overtime. Is it not time to put the construction gang on the job?"

ACTION FOILS POISON PROBE

Body of Sued Witness Embalmed Before Autopsy Can Be Made.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 3.—Because Edward Throckmorton's body was taken from the hospital where he died to an undertaking establishment and embalmed before the court's order directing that an autopsy be held was served efforts to ascertain whether the state's principal witness against J. B. Sneed, accused of having murdered Captain A. G. Boyce, Sr., was poisoned came to naught.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Bruno Olsson, of Crosby, is in the city.

E. J. Dugan, of St. Paul, is in the city.

F. E. Oberg, of Oreland, is a Brainerd visitor today.

E. Masson, the depot agent, of Deerwood, is in the city.

C. P. Eastman, of Pequot, is a Brainerd business visitor.

Try Cannel coal from Everett & Hitch.

Dr. Wm. Reid, of Deerwood, is in the city on professional business.

Dr. Joseph Nicholson went to Pillager today on professional business.

The weather report reads: "Fair and continued cold tonight and Sunday."

Miss Dorothy Masson, of Deerwood, is visiting her friend, Miss Ruth Adams.

Turkish baths at Ridley's Gymnasium.

There will be no Sunday afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon.

W. E. Corkery went to Staples this noon to visit his son, J. J. Corkery and family.

Herman Hill went to Menasha today to attend the funeral of one of his wife's relatives.

B. C. McNamara, the undertaker, is suffering with a severe cold and says it is a grave case.

Mrs. Tony Bohlke and two little sons arrived today from Hubert to visit Miss Edith Bohlke.

Visit the new Iron Exchange Clothing and Gent's Furnishings Store.

The government thermometer at the Gull lake dam registered 20 below early this morning.

The regular monthly meeting of the county commissioners will be held on Tuesday, February 6.

Attorney Leon E. Lum entertained a party of friends at dinner at the Ramsford hotel last evening.

Miss Maud Cullen, who is teaching school at Crosby, arrived today to spend Sunday with her parents.

Have you seen the "Regal" shoes at the new Iron Exchange Clothing Store?

Mrs. E. W. Masson, of Deerwood, was operated on for appendicitis this morning at the Northern Pacific sanatorium.

Miss Hilma Nygren, a nurse at the Northwestern hospital, went to Staples this noon to visit her parents over Sunday.

Mrs. George Wooley, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. C. McNamara, returned today to her home in St. Paul.

Mrs. Joseph Belliveau, of Henderson, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William Schlange. She returned home today.

The Staples high school basketball team will play the Brainerd high at the auditorium of the high school this evening.

Miss Florence Archibald, of Deerwood passed through the city today on her way to Barrows to visit a friend there.

Dance at Bakklia hall Feb. 3, Sat. Tickets 25 cents. Ladies free. 42

Mrs. Gust Swanson and daughter, Miss Josie Swanson, went to St. Paul today to visit friends and relatives for a few days.

Miss Berggreen, a nurse at the Northwestern hospital, left today for Bemidji where she will engage in private nursing.

Ernest Stevnes, of Hibbing, is at the Northwestern hospital and was operated on Saturday morning for some chronic affection.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 228-44

Mrs. Paul Olson, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Engbreton the past two months, returned today to her home in Gouville.

Charles Hammer and daughter, Miss Marie Hammer have returned to their home in Missoula, Mont., after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Gustafson.

Chief of Police George A. Ridley is said to hold the record for receiving invitations to the Bachelor Maids Leap Year dance, having received nine of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bailey, of Crow Wing, took the stage this afternoon for Borden lake where they will visit their friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Green over Sunday.

"Society Brand Clothes" for young men and men who stay young, at the Iron Exchange Clothing Store.

Svend Tekseth, the Kimberly hotelkeeper who was operated on for appendicitis at the Northwestern hospital, has fully recovered and returned to his home today.

E. W. Erickson, of Verndale, who was operated on for a cancerous growth on his finger, has left the Northwestern hospital convalescent and returned home this week.

Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley, county superintendent of schools, returned this afternoon from a trip of inspection of the schools at Outing, Emily, Little Pine and others in that vicinity.

Mrs. Watson, the grand chief of honor of the Pythian Sisters, who visited the local lodge last evening and spoke at the banquet, returned this afternoon to her home in Minneapolis.

The Iron Exchange Clothing Store will show you the latest styles. "Belmont" hats, the best for \$3.

Joseph Nelson, a boilermaker at the shops, severed an artery in his wrist and nearly bled to death. He was taken to the sanatorium on the dinkey engine and given prompt treatment.

Aitkin high beat the Y. M. C. A. basketball team at Aitkin last night by the score of 38 to 14. Better team work won the game, although the Y. M. C. A. boys put up a good, stiff game.

Mrs. J. A. Thabes entertained the 15 girls of her class of the Children's Hour at the library at her home last evening, where refreshments were served and all enjoyed a most pleasant time.

The famous "Wilson Bros." shirts, well displayed at the Iron Exchange Clothing Store.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Peterson entertained a party of friends at dinner last evening on the occasion of their first wedding anniversary. Mr. Peterson is a traveling man for the Hormel Packing Co.

W. T. Cox, state forester, is at his home in St. Paul with a broken rib. While running for a car last week, he fell, but felt no severe pain. Last Monday, however, he felt a pain and a surgeon upon examination found a rib broken.

The union meeting at the Peoples Congregational church last evening was well attended and the speaker of the evening was the Rev. C. B. Hilton, pastor of the First Baptist church. His address was listened to with attention and was one of the features of the evening.

J. P. Ernster and F. S. Graham have returned from St. Paul where they attended the grand opera. Mr. Ernster was particularly impressed with the tonal beauties of the opera "Nabucca" and considers this production of an American fully equal to anything produced in the old world.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. O. Skauge, 523 North Broadway, at 3 P. M. A warm supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 P. M. and a charge of 15 cents made. The ladies hope to have a large gathering present at their meeting.

Miss Edith Bohlke, the visiting nurse, says that Brainerd people are prompt to answer calls for aid. She inserted a local in the Dispatch the

other day asking people to donate a mattress for a patient. B. C. McNamara gave her one and before the day was over there were calls at the phone of persons ready to give three more.

The young men of Staples had a chance to experience the feeling of being "wall flowers" at the Leap Year dance given by the Leap Year club. The young ladies also had the novelty of performing all the duties of an escort as well as footing the bills. Embarrassing situations and blunders were common owing to the changed positions.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the Zion Evangelical church, North-east Brainerd by Rev. A. H. Utzinger, presiding elder of Minneapolis. Services to be held on Friday and Saturday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, Sunday morning at 11 A. M. and Sunday evening at 7:30 P. M. The Sunday evening service will be in the English language.

It appears that within a short time after the Bachelor Maids announced their dance for Friday, February 9 at the Elks hall that a dance was heralded by the Bachelor Girls, an organization which is not connected with and has nothing to do with the Bachelor Maids. The Bachelor Girls organization has set its dance for Thursday evening, February 8.

D. E. Whitney, of Losey & Dean, has returned from St. Paul where he attended the Minnesota Funeral Directors' association convention. Officers were elected for the ensuing term. E. C. Schroeder was recommended to the state board of health for appointment as the new member of the board of examiners for embalmers licenses. The association adopted resolutions asking the legislature to appropriate money for the establishment of a chair of embalming at the University of Minnesota and approved the Owen bill, now pending before congress, for the establishment of a national department of health.

The dance given by the Brainerd City band at the Citizens State bank hall last evening was so largely attended that it would have been absolutely impossible to find room for another couple on the floor Dr. F. J. Sykora led the band in its rendition of the first five numbers and the outbursts of applause were frequent for the music pleased all the dancers. A lengthy program was one of the features of the evening and permitted dancing until after one o'clock in the morning. The floor managers were J. A. Swanson, Andrew Hill and Andrew Anderson. This was the second of a series of dances given by the band. Their annual ball is scheduled for some time in April.

Due to the wealth of other attractions in the city, the "Folks From Vermont" played to a small house at the Brainerd opera house. F. F. Parker in the role of Uncle Joshua Higgins portrayed the part of the aged tiller of the soil in excellent manner. Daisy Ashmore as Rosie Higgins was the charming country girl. The specialties were numerous and were given between acts. Mr. Parker delivered a short speech which was well received and praised Tom Brown as being one of the best theater managers in the northwest and asked people to be more liberal in their patronage of good shows, saying Brainerd had the reputation of being a good show town and that it was receiving the best attractions.

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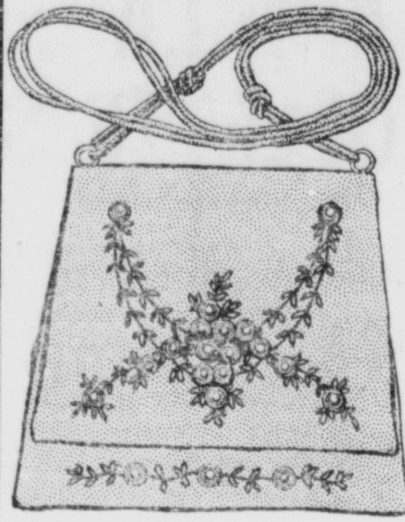


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Punch Embroidery in white. Punch embroidery instructions and necessary needle included, with sufficient material to make long sleeves and high collar. This waist opens in back.

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Stamped on sheer linens, finished nainsook for Punch Embroidery. Instructions and necessary needle included.



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The Geo. F. Murphy Co. "The Store of Quality"

PICTURESQUE MOORS.

They Range in Color From Black to Caucasian Fairness.

Imagine a thin, tall, bearded, clean cut individual, black hair and eyes, his complexion ranging in color from that of the negro to Caucasian fairness, clothed in richly embroidered undergarments, over which gracefully fall the folds of a finely woven haik or jellaba, his stockinged feet shoved into yellow slippers, on his shaved head a red fez, about which is wound a spotless white turban—and you have a type of the town Moroccan—the Moor.

The coarse brown jellaba of camel's or goat's hair, sometimes handed down through several generations; occasionally sandals and a small, tight fitting woollen cap make up the costume of the countryman, although one finds him oftener barefoot and bareheaded, head shaved, save for the little cue which characterizes the Berber and Kabyle, who believe that at the last day this will be used as a sort of handle with which they will be hauled up to heaven.

He is often a nomadic trader and arranges his journey so as to be at the town on certain market days, and at these times one may see these men, with their goods on heavy draft camels or overloaded donkeys, steadily trudging their way over the rough caravan trails. They earn their bare existence, indeed, which may be swept away in a moment by mountain brigands or the town robbers, who often sit in high places—Charles W. Furlong in Outing Magazine.

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A 10 Cent Box Will Keep Your Liver, Stomach and Bowels Clean, Pure and Fresh for Months

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver, delayed fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed, into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

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A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means inside cleanliness and a clear head for months. Ask any of the millions of Cascaret users if they have headache.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

PRESENTING
Billy Vernon
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SINGING
"Mr. John O'Hare" and
"With the Last Rose of Summer I'll Return to You"

Pictures Extraordinary
EDISON
"An Island Comedy"
One thousand feet of continuous laughter.

BIOGRAPH
"As in a Looking Glass"
If we saw ourselves as others see us, we would correct our faults and this is just what happens in this biograph feature.

VITAGRAPH
"Love at Gloucester"
A pretty drama of the sea, produced by Mr. Maurice Costello.
IF YOU WANT THE BEST, GET THE EMPRESS HABIT

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7:30 P. M. CONTINUOUS SHOW—10:30 P. M. 3:00 P. M.—MATINEE SATURDAY—3:00 P. M.

THE DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

Not a Going Out of Business Sale
Not a Force Sale
Not a Fire Sale
But a Sale that is a Sale and Prices that are Sale Prices. Pictures that are worth Five Dollars are selling at Two Dollars and Fifty Cents Those worth Two Dollars are selling at One Dollar. We do not change the price mark but cut the price in two.
This sale began Jan. 18th and lasts for one week or until the goods are gone.

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Contractors and Builders
Shop Work
Plans and Specifications Furnished
Hardware
We Carry a Complete Stock
Weather Strips are in Order
We carry them.
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Deposit your money in our Bank

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Deposit your money in our bank; you feel secure because it is in a safe place. It will make you feel happy to know that some day, if A BUSINESS CHANCE arises, you can go to the bank and find your money where you left it. The possession of a bank account not only gives you prestige in your community but with YOURSELF. Begin at once to put away just a portion of what you are now letting go in extravagance.

Do YOUR banking with US.

We pay interest on Time and Savings Deposits



First National Bank
Brainerd, Minn.
Established 1881
Capital and Surplus
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CONFIDENCE GAME COMES TO GRIEF

Norman Johnson Secures a Bill of Goods Under False Pretenses From Bye & Peterson

HE PLEADS GUILTY IN COURT

Johnson is Given 20 Days and Most of the Clothing is Recovered By the Firm

When Norman Johnson needed some clothes and underwear he adopted an easy way of getting them, but his plans came to grief in the municipal court Friday afternoon when he pleaded guilty to obtaining \$12 to \$14 worth of clothes from Bye & Peterson under false pretenses.

Tuesday Johnson telephoned Bye & Peterson and the call was answered by the clerk, Theodore Newgord. Johnson impersonating Ole Benson, the lively man, said that the store was to give Johnson whatever goods he wanted at the store.

Johnson, who is a lad of about 19 and has frequently worked short times at the barn of Ole Benson, came to the store shortly after he had telephoned and selected a macinaw coat worth about \$6, some underwear and other articles. He came around again Wednesday and got some more stuff. John Bye thought he would look up the matter and when he telephoned Mr. Benson the latter said he had given no orders for such purchases.

Johnson was taken before the municipal court and after a short hearing pleaded guilty and was given 20 days in the county jail. The clothing firm recovered the coat and other articles. Johnson had obtained so much underwear that he gave a friend some of it and the latter has promised to pay for what he received.

Retail Clerks Notice

There will be a regular meeting of the Clerks Union Monday evening, February 5 at 8 o'clock sharp at the Trades & Labor hall. There will be installation of officers and other very important business. There will also be a big lunch. All members are requested to be present.

WM. J. LYONAS, Pres.

F. J. GABIOU, Rec. Sec.

ROSS LAKE RIPPLES

We got a little more snow Sunday. Mr. Fred Richter, of Roger Lake, was a Ross Lake caller Tuesday.

The Noisy Bunch met at Johnson's one evening last week.

Mr. Mike Biever came up from Lake Benton last week to ship the remainder of their lumber.

Peter Johnson and Willie Keeler took loads to Aitkin Thursday.

Frank Duchain, M. Simpson, Willie Keeler and Mike Biever attended the annual ball given by the Eagles in Aitkin Thursday evening.

Mr. Brown and son Irl were Ross Lake callers Sunday.

Mike Biever called at Keeler's Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Babcock will speak on the subject of Socialism at the Mud Brook school house on Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, 1912.

Frank Duchain, Edith Simpson and Maud Bodle called at Keeler's Sunday evening.

Lost—Near Ross Lake, a voice. Finder please return to Miss Ethylle Keeler.

MISS PRIMROSE.

NOTICE

Houses wired, fixtures hung and all kinds of Electrical supplies For Sale and installed by Geo. J. Johnson at W. E. Lively's Hardware store. Phone 261. 20116

Candor by Accident.

The hostess was so weary after an inordinately long call from a bore that when he at last rose to go she was almost incapable of coherent speech, and her words in consequence changed places in her final effort at hospitality. It ran as follows: "Oh, Mr. Peters, must you stay? Can't you go?"—London Opinion.

OPENING UP A JUDGMENT

Judgment in Case of Erickson vs Edwin B. Moor et al Rendered in 1907 to be Reviewed

The judgment rendered on January 12, 1907 in the case of Betsey C. Erickson vs Edwin B. Moor, Wm. A. Moor and Ann M. Pulcifer, covering property in the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 6, township 46, range 28, is to be opened up by Attorneys Russell & Barron.

Their motion for an order substituting Estelle P. Close, Grace Greible, Jessie Weinfeld, Wm. A. Moor and Daniel W. Moor as defendants in place of Edwin B. Moor and William A. Moor and also setting aside and vacating the judgment entered January 12, 1907 and granting Ann M. Pulcifer and the parties last named leave to defend and serve their answer, was granted by Judge W. S. McClenahan who in his memoranda says: "I think the showing made herein sufficient to justify the foregoing order and that the ends of justice will be subserved by a trial of this case upon its merits."

The proposed answer heretofore served herein stands as the answer of the said defendants, with leave to plaintiff to further plead within 20 days from January 26.

Betsey C. Erickson is the wife of former Sheriff Ole P. Erickson, and the family now reside near Deerwood. The case will come up for trial on its merits at the May term of court.

HARMONY IS KEY NOTE OF NEW UNION

Musicians' Union is Organized at Citizens State Bank Hall With 50 Charter Members

WALTER FRAMPTON PRESIDENT

Officers Elected, By-Laws Adopted, Committees and an Examining Board Appointed

With harmony as its key note a new union, Local 517, Musicians' Protective Union, American Federation of Musicians, was organized in this city at the Citizens State bank hall with a charter list of 50. Members of the Brainerd City band and the Unity band of Northeast Brainerd constitute the bulk of its membership.

At this meeting the larger proportion of the by-laws were adopted, various committees appointed, an examining board selected and officers elected. The officers are:

The officers are:
President—Walter Frampton.
Vice President—Clarence Brown.
Secretary—J. A. Swanson.
Treasurer—C. Ellis.

On the examining board are Prof. William Graham, Prof. Wm. P. Bartsch and Christ Elvig.

New applications are being constantly received and the members are busy getting others to join the organization.

Almost Lost His Life

S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pains in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. King's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds, or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists. tts

Taking Care of the Heart.

A physician writes: "Life would be prolonged by a little more attention to the heart, by paying a little respect to the most faithful servant we ever have. Much good might be done also if parents would teach their children the danger of overtaxing the heart. They should teach them to stop and rest a few moments during their play when they begin to feel the violent throbbing of their hearts against the chest wall."

CENTRAL MINNESOTA BASEBALL LEAGUE

Brainerd, Little Falls, Royalton, Sauk Rapids, Foley, St. Cloud, Melrose and Staples May Join

ORGANIZED AT ST. CLOUD FEB. 2

Permanent Organization to be Completed at Sauk Rapids at Next Meeting Feb. 22

The Central Minnesota Baseball association with M. O. Robbers, of Sauk Rapids, chairman, and W. Leigh Cary, of St. Cloud, secretary, was organized at St. Cloud at a meeting of the representatives from the various towns in the district to comprise the district.

Those present were M. Robbers, of Sauk Rapids, Frank Fritz and W. Leigh Cary, of St. Cloud; Joseph Doty and Thomas Hayes, the veteran pitcher and first baseman of Royalton; Joseph Moeglein, cashier of the Merchants' State bank, Frank Kiewel, of the Kiewel Brewing Co., and Julius Jetka, of Little Falls.

Letters were received from Foley, Brainerd and Melrose indorsing the plan and promising their support to the organization. The cities proposed for the association are Brainerd, Little Falls, Royalton, Sauk Rapids, Foley, St. Cloud, Melrose and either Staples or Verndale.

The next meeting will be held at Sauk Rapids on February 22, when the representatives of the towns who are to comprise the board will be present and a permanent organization formed.

He Won't Limp Now

No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at all druggists. tts

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for week ending, Feb. 2, 1912. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Alborth, Anton.
Calvin, Robert.
Castle, Mr. Clarence.
Ellis, M. V.
Hoffman, Miss Kitty.
Hoffman, William G.
LePage, Mr. W. T.
McCarthy, John.
Tremaine, Tom.
Williams, Mr. E. G.
Young, Mr. J. M.

POST CARDS

Allaway, Mr. A. M.
Carver, Miss Pearl.
Crapsey, Mrs. G. B.
Elmes, Mrs. Jess.
Hagen, Mrs. O. S.
Hodgson, Mr. Elmer.
Huovinen, Mr. Jacob.
Johnson, Mrs. Martin.
Kupitz, C.
Lundy, Mr. Emil.
Miller, Miss Violet.
Nelson, Miss Helma.
Rice, Mrs. Carrie.
Richardson, Miss Sadie.
Rouse, Miss Mandy.
Rouse, Miss Myrtle.
Rouse, Miss Susie.
Stathe, Mrs. H.
White, Mrs. Olive.

N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

Shocking Sounds

In the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Diabetes, or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see back-ache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Bondy, South Rockwood, Mich. "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50c at all druggists. tts

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Empress

Billy Vernon and his harmony chorus, heard in the songs of "Mr. John O'Hare" and "With The Last Rose of Summer I'll Return to You", made a decided impression at last night's performance at the popular Empress theatre. So large have the crowds grown which throng this theater that Manager Laymon has been impelled to see about enlarging his floor space.

The pictures extraordinary last night included "An Island Comedy," one thousand feet of continuous laughter and a biograph number, "As in a Looking Glass." "Love at Gloucester" was a pretty drama of the sea and to one who loves to look at the broad ocean depths and to see the waves in their various moods, the picture was certainly a revelation.

SEC'Y. NELSON'S ANNUAL REPORT

The Affairs of the Water and Light Board are Presented in Minute Detail

ALL DEPARTMENTS REVIEWED

Improvements Made, Moneys Collected, Statistics Compiled, Etc., of Interest to All

The station record for 1911 follows:

January, 1911—68 1/4 cords of wood and 167,407 pounds of coal were used; average cost of fuel per day, \$15.70; cost per million gallons \$13.88; water pumped 35,055,860; average per day, 1,130,834 gallons.

February—214,860 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$16.69; cost per million gallons, \$14.77; water pumped 31,624,656 gallons; average per day 1,129,452 gallons.

March—228,745 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$16.05; cost per million gallons \$14.06; water pumped 35,376,750 gallons; average per day 1,141,185 gallons.

April—194,967 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$14.14; cost per million gallons \$12.59; water pumped 33,673,500 gallons; average per day 1,122,450 gallons.

May—216,494 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$13.52; cost per million gallons \$10.76; water pumped 38,950,409 gallons; average per day 1,256,465 gallons.

June—228 cords wood and 13,914 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$18.11; cost per million gallons \$13.99; water pumped 38,812,950 gallons; average per day 1,293,765 gallons.

July—72 cords wood and 184,970 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$18.20; cost per million gallons \$14.59; water pumped 38,645,100 gallons; average per day 1,246,616 gallons.

August 16 1/2 cords wood and 241,604 pounds coal used; average cost per day \$18.15; cost per million gallons, \$15.36; water pumped 36,630,990 gallons; average per day, 1,181,644 gallons.

September—247,525 pounds coal used; average daily cost \$17.12; cost per million gallons \$14.13; water pumped 36,343,800 gallons; daily average 1,211,460 gallons.

October—260,197 pounds coal used; average daily cost \$17.42; cost per million gallons \$14.96; water pumped 36,091,350 gallons; daily average 1,164,237 gallons.

November—241,509 pounds coal used; average daily cost \$16.70; cost per million gallons, \$15.32; water pumped 32,706,320 gallons; daily average, 1,090,210 gallons.

December—247,213 pounds of coal used; average daily cost \$16.55; cost per million gallons, \$15.08; water pumped 34,035,846 gallons; daily average, 1,097,930 gallons.

The average daily cost of fuel for the year is \$16.53. The average cost per million gallons of water is \$14.12%. The average daily amount of water pumped during the year is 1,172,187 gallons.

Buy Your Spring Gingham Now

Now is logical time to purchase your spring gingham. The new ones are in—hundreds, yes thousands of yards and the first selection of the choice styles, cost you no more than the last one. We shall take pleasure in showing you the line.

Ginghams at 10c the yard

Beautiful colorings in styles and checks—a large assortment. This too is a quality that will go through the tub successfully.

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Five inches wider than ordinary gingham. It is a splendid quality—the patterns and colorings are all that can be asked for and the price 15c a yd.

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We have a large assortment of two qualities of tissues. One at 25c the yard. Be sure you see the new tissues.

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THE THEATRE BEAUTIFUL

Continuous Performance 7:30 to 10:00. Admission 5 and 10c
Special Matinee Saturday at 3:00 P. M.

EXTRA SPECIAL PROGRAM TONIGHT

"The Passing"

This is positively one of the best pictures and the only one of its kind ever made. It is different. To reveal the story would be to spoil the picture. Come and see it for yourself.

"In the Northern Woods"

This is a very interesting drama of the life of the lumberjack. The splendid winter scenes in this picture supply a fine back ground for a perfectly acted drama.

"Just too Late"

This comedy contains a series of highly humorous mishaps. This is another of the Nestor's famous talking pictures.

"Mutt & Jeff and Italian Strikers"

Here are our old friends in a new comedy. Better than ever this time. See the exciting handcar race.

Mr. Al. Mraz

Will Sing Two of the Latest Songs

This is a Program That You Can't Afford to Miss. For Laughter's Sake See it

SPECIAL MATINEE SATURDAY AT THREE O'CLOCK

Every Kid in Town Should See Mutt and Jeff

SPECIAL SUNDAY PROGRAM COMING FOR SUNDAY

valve \$13.25. Labor contract \$157.00. Total \$465.28.

Laying of 368 feet of 4 inch cast iron water main on North Bluff Ave. between 4th and 5th streets. Cost of pipe and fittings \$123.44. Cost of drain \$14.68. Labor contract \$73.60. Total \$211.72.

Replacement of 400 feet of 6 inch cast iron water main on Laurel St. Cost of pipe and fittings \$215.00. Labor contract \$255.72. Total \$470.72.

Laying of 408 feet of 4 inch cast iron water main in N. E. Second Ave. Cost of pipe and fittings \$143.12. Labor contract \$89.60. Total \$232.72.

Total expense of extensions ----- \$3,878.14

Changing hydrants in business district ----- 87.05

Engineer services, locating hydrants ----- 20.00

New service lines ----- 63.69

Conduit Laurel St. ----- 47.52

Covering water main 13th St. ----- 7.00

6 hydrants, 6 inch connection ----- 198.00

1 hydrant, 4 inch connection ----- 30.50

Total ----- \$4,331.90

On hand December 31, 1911:

Four 4-inch crosses, 728 pounds.

One 6-inch cross 155 pounds.

Six 4-inch tees, 167 pounds.

One 6-inch tee, 167 pounds.

Three 6x6x4 tees, 459 pounds.
One 6x4 reducer, 95 pounds.
One 4-inch ell, 390 pounds.
One 4-inch ell, 45 degrees, 80 pounds.

Three 6-inch sleeves, 213 pounds.
Four 4-inch sleeves, 220 pounds.
Seven 4-inch plugs, 70 pounds.

Equals 3,317 pounds at 3 cents or \$99.51.

Eight lengths 6-inch cast iron pipe 316 pounds.

Five lengths 4-inch cast iron pipe, 1220 pounds.

Equals 4,488 pounds at \$30.50 or \$68.44.

One 1-inch crown meter and connection, \$31.60.

One 3-4 inch crown meter and connection, \$21.90.

One 5-8 inch crown meter and connection, \$13.05.

One 5-8 inch Nash meter and connection, \$9.05.

Equals \$75.60 with a grand total of \$4,575.45.

Less material on hand 1-1-11, \$274.53.

Permanent improvements line \$4,300.92.

(To be continued)

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A stock reduction sale that will appeal to the critical buyer, sweeping reductions offered on High Grade Boots, We can fit you in all styles and sizes.

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Women's high grade boots.....\$5.00 quality at **\$4.00**
Women's high grade boots..... 4.00 quality at **3.20**
Women's high grade boots..... 3.50 quality at **2.80**
Women's evening slippers..... 4.00 quality at **3.20**
Women's evening slippers..... 3.50 quality at **2.80**
Felt shoes and slippers at **20% off**

Women's house slippers.....\$2.50 quality at **\$2.00**
Women's house slippers..... 2.00 quality at **1.60**
Children's and misses' shoes.... 3.50 quality at **2.80**
Children's and misses' shoes.... 3.00 quality at **2.40**
Children's and misses' shoes.... 2.50 quality at **2.00**
Children's and misses' shoes.... 2.00 quality at **1.60**

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Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and on half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion. Strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

HELP WANTED.
WANTED—Usher at the Grand.
WANTED—Dining room girl at Windsor hotel. 266tf
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FOR RENT.
Furnished flat for light housekeeping in the Pearce block. 191tf
FOR RENT—Three pleasant furnished, modern rooms. 703 N. 6th St. 202tf

MISCELLANEOUS
LOST—Five years of my old age by visiting the GRAND.
LOST—Large 5A horse blanket. Return L. A. Canfield, 320 Second avenue, Northeast, or Swanson's grocery. 205tfsp

ENGINEERING
F. A. GLASS—Mining Engineer and Surveyor. Direction of Explorations, surveys, plans, estimates reports.

At Bane's
Some bargains that out of town people have told me to sacrifice and sell:
Eighty acres in Sec. 1, St. Mathias -----\$ 600.00
Fine house and barn, three lots, corner Fir and Broadway -----\$1600.00
Forty three acre vegetable and chicken farm, buildings and fruit trees.
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HISTORIC FIRST NIGHTS.
Red Letter Events in the Dramatic History of France.
Perhaps the most striking events in the artistic history of France have been the first performances of some of the great French plays. In a few cases these occasions have marked the beginning of new epochs in the social history of the country, so close is the connection between the social development of the people and its expression on the stage. Unless I am mistaken, there have been but six unforgettable first nights since theaters were established in Paris.
The first occurred in 1637, when Corneille's "Cid" took the capital by storm. Forty years later Racine's "Andromache" created a similar sensation. On the eve of the revolution, in 1784, Beaumarchais' "Marriage of Figaro" was received with such delicious enthusiasm that three people were stifled in the rush for seats. In 1830 Victor Hugo, in spite of the determined opposition of a large body of reactionaries, set all Paris in an uproar with his "Hernani."
These names should be borne in mind: Corneille, Racine, Beaumarchais and Victor Hugo. Three of them at least have no superiors in the history of French literature. Each has one amazing dramatic triumph to his credit. The other two of the six great first nights were the 28th of December, 1897, and the 7th of February, 1910. The occasions were respectively the performances of "Cyrano de Bergerac" and "Chantecler," both by Edmond Rostand. —Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

LET IN THE LIGHT.
Darkened Rooms Are Too Suggestive of Darkened Lives.
Fresh air enthusiasts are familiar enough to most of us, but we hear less of enthusiasm for light. Darkened parlors, darkened bedrooms, darkened sick rooms are too common, says the Christian Herald. Sir B. W. Richardson, the London scientist and physician, declared that when the professors of healing enter a sickroom their first words in most cases ought to be Goethe's dying exclamation: "More light! More light!"
The light of the sun is God's own microbe killer, germicide, disinfectant, prophylactic, sickness healer. There is no physician, no chemical antidote, no compounded prescription to be compared with sunlight. Without it nature could not perform her functions. Man, beast, bird, insect would fall victims to the deadly gases that would prevail. The horrid mists and deadly gases are dispersed and decomposed by the action of light. Let it in everywhere! Let the light in more and more abundantly. Faded carpets are not as pitiful as faded cheeks. Spoiled cushions are trivial compared with spoiled health. Darkened rooms are too suggestive of darkened lives.

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The hornbill, a bird which is widely distributed in India, the Malay archipelago and Africa, has a very loud note. Its call has been described as between the shriek of a locomotive and the bray of a donkey and can be heard a distance of about a couple of miles.
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SWINDLERS WHO USE THE MAILS
They Got \$77,000,000 From the Public Last Year.

DISTINCT CRIMINAL CLASS.
Chief Inspector of the Postoffice Department Reports on Arrests and Convictions—Effective Stop When Promoters Have Been Found Guilty.
Robert S. Sharp, chief inspector of the postoffice department, in his annual report says that the fraudulent promoters who have been put out of business by the postoffice department in the last year have obtained the enormous total of \$77,000,000 from the gullible public. In the crusades which the department has made in the last year against these men 529 individuals were indicted, 497 arrested, 181 convicted, 12 acquitted, and 177 are awaiting trial. There are also seventy-two awaiting action by the United States grand jury and forty-eight fugitives from justice. Inspector Sharp says:
The determination to bring these promoters into court and obtain prison sentences for them has proved exceedingly successful, as evidenced by the results set forth in this report. In no instance, so far as known to this office, has a person convicted of a criminal charge of this character attempted to reorganize his scheme under a new name, as was often the case where fraud orders alone were resorted to.
In a number of cases in which arrests have been made owing to the volume of letters received daily by the culprits it has been found that the promoters of the issuance of fraud orders, and the office of the assistant attorney general for the postoffice department after a most careful consideration of all the facts in each case, concurred in the recommendation of the inspector. This action on the part of the attorney general's office has been the means of saving many thousands of dollars to the public.
The result of the year's work has developed the fact that these fraud manipulators are a distinct class of criminals, some of them moving in the highest social and business circles, but nearly all having more or less affiliations and connections with or are advisers of schemes or enterprises of illegitimate character in which they are not known as promoters.
The cost in time, money and talent to the government of the investigation and prosecution of these cases and the corresponding loss to other exceedingly important features of the postal service demanding attention are apparent, and I renew my recommendation of last year that the department of justice take over the investigation of this class of cases.
The work of the past year has uncovered a condition among the swindling class which shows the astounding extent of their operations and the enormous amount of their ill gotten gains. As shown elsewhere, only the few swindling promoters who were arrested last year obtained approximately \$77,000,000. There are doubtless numerous persons operating similar schemes, as evidenced by the complaints which are pouring into the department. Encouraging reports from the centers of population are being received to the effect that a number of the smaller swindlers have discontinued business and their whereabouts are unknown. The policy of the department in attempting first to crush out the strong and powerful criminals who have grown rich at the game has proved exceedingly effective in eliminating the smaller ones.

METHODIST PASTOR'S THREAT.
Says He Will Shoot the Saloon Keeper if He Sells His Son Liquor.
The declaration of Dr. Frank Burr Crispell, pastor of Hedding M. E. church of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., that he will shoot the saloon keeper who dares to sell his boy liquor has caused much talk in and out of church circles. The clergyman did not make this declaration from his own pulpit, but before a meeting of the Poughkeepsie branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, and the declaration was greeted with prolonged applause.
"If a saloon keeper sells one of my boys rum I will shoot him," Dr. Crispell declared. "Yes, I will kill him. This may be rather hot talk, but I mean it. Rather the rumrunner should die than that he should be allowed to make a drunkard."
Asked if he had been quoted correctly and if he was in earnest in his threat, the clergyman replied:
"When I said I'd shoot the man who sold my boy liquor I meant it, just as stated. It is exactly what I intended to say and what I mean."

WORLD'S FAIR FOR AUSTRALIA
To Mark Completion of Transaustralian Railroad in 1915.
A great international exposition, which is to be opened by King George and Queen Mary, is to be held at Perth, Western Australia, three years hence on the occasion of the completion of the Transaustralian railroad. The line, which is now under construction, crosses Australia from north to south and is to be connected with Western Australia on the west and Queensland and Victoria on the east. The total cost is estimated at \$50,000,000. When the railroad has been constructed the Australian mails will go to Port Darwin, in northern Australia, saving about ten days between London and Adelaide.
All the foreign governments are to be invited to participate in the exposition.
An Up to Date Fable.
A lion once invited a fox to visit him in his cave.
"I should be glad to call," said the fox, "but I have observed that all the tracks are pointed toward your door, and there are none leading away."
"Pooh!" said the lion. "That phenomenon may be attributed to the great esteem in which I am held by my guests. I treat them so well that when they leave they walk backward for a long distance to show their respect for me. You will meet a most delightful and distinguished company when you call."
"If you will give me the names and addresses of a few of the survivors," answered the fox, "I will call and see if their reports are satisfactory. If so I will accept your invitation."
Moral—Avoid invitations to wedding anniversaries and whist parties. —Pearson's Weekly.

DEALING IN STOCKS.
Know What You Are Buying Before Investing Your Money.
We hear of fortunes quickly made in Wall street, of miners who have accumulated enormous wealth by a lucky strike, of inventors that have made inventors rich. But how many of these instances are there? Just a few, while countless thousands and hundreds of thousands have lost everything in unsuccessful ventures.
The prosperous, successful man or woman is the one who buys with knowledge of what he or she is buying, whether it be a piece of beef, a dozen of eggs, a horse, a house or stocks and bonds.
Money has been made in Wall street and will continue to be made. Those who buy stocks when they sell low and sell them when they advance must make money. The operation is no different from buying a house or a farm at a bargain and selling it at a profit. But one should exercise just as much care in one transaction as in the other.
Have nothing to do with those who offer glittering opportunities to get rich quickly. This will save your money. It may sound very nice to say that one owns a thousand shares of a gold, silver or copper mine with a par value of \$10,000 and that cost the holder only \$50 or \$100. But what use is such a certificate unless it has real value? Better put the \$50 or \$100 in one share of a dividend paying stock and be satisfied with moderate returns and a moderate profit on any advance the stock may enjoy.—Leslie's.

EAGLES IN COMBAT.
Fury of the Belligerent Birds in Their Duel in the Air.
An old time observer in Maryland says that the Eastern Shore eagles can fly faster, remain in their lofty flight longer and descend from it to the earth with more velocity than any other created thing with wings. He also says that the fierceness of the eagles and the tenacity and power of clutch they can put into their immense talons are beyond belief, and he cites as an instance of it a fight between two of the big birds that he once saw.
Just what incited the two eagles to the combat this spectator of the fight did not know, but they came together high in the air. A long time the two fierce birds fought with beak and talon and wing, rushing upon one another, delivering their blows and retreating for advantage in a new attack. Then at last they clinched and fought at close quarters.
In that position they came plunging to the earth, but neither made any effort to stay the fall, so desperately intent was each on the savage battle. They struck together in the freshly turned furrow of a plowed field, and the impact failed to separate them or to cause an instant's delay in the fight, and the coming on the scene of a man with a club, which he at once took part in the battle, did not distract their attention from one another, and the man killed them both. Their talons were buried so deeply in each other's flesh that to separate the two belligerent eagles it was necessary to cut off their legs.—New York Sun.

SEA POSTOFFICES.
Handling and Sorting the Mail Matter on Ocean Liners.
Every one is aware that a large quantity of mail comes from Europe. Probably most persons assume that it is dumped off the steamers in bulk and sorted and routed in the postoffice of the receiving port. Such a system would result in hopeless congestion, and practically all of the 15,000,000 pounds of foreign mail matter received at New York on an average of recent years is ready, sorted and sacked when the steamers make port. This work is done in the sea postoffices aboard the ships and means days saved in the time of delivery of mail matter intended for inland points.
In the huge mass of mail brought into New York each year there are on an average 80,000,000 separate pieces, many thousands with inadequate addresses, yet to such a degree of efficiency has the operation of the sea postoffices been brought and so carefully is the work done that less than 500 errors are made annually. As the entire quantity of the ocean mail received in a year would fill 2,200 standard mail cars an almost incredible accuracy is indicated—less than one error of any kind whatever for every four carloads of mail.
Congress authorized the sorting of mail on board conveying steamships in 1890, but it was not until the year following that any systematic effort was made to do so. The work of the sea postoffice is very similar to that of the railway mail service. On board a large liner there will be usually two United States clerks, two in the employ of the country from which the steamer sails and several subalterns or porters. This force will on an average trip open and sort from 800 to 900 sacks of mail, probably consisting of 500,000 ordinary letters and 4,000 registered letters, besides 250,000 parcels and periodicals. Mail for New York city is distributed and separately sacked for each of the stations and that for the United States generally according to a schedule which has 128 divisions. In addition to the mail for the United States, the sea postoffice clerks must sort that destined for Cuba, Mexico, Canada and the orient, a great deal of the last class being forwarded by rail to San Francisco and thence by steamer.
To facilitate matters two mail boats are maintained at New York, and these meet incoming steamers at the quarantine station, one taking on the mail bags intended for direct delivery to trains and steaming directly to the railway stations along the river front, the other that for New York city and such others as require rehandling. The sea postoffices cost the government something less than \$3,000,000 per annum.—Harper's.

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WELCOME.
"I s'pose I look like a tramp, Catherine Ann, but I'm your cousin. Cy Barker, back from the Klondike with \$40,000 in gold. Gee, don't smother me!"—Chicago Tribune
Company.
A crowd is not company. Faces are but a gallery of pictures where there is no love, and talk but a tinkling cymbal.—Francis Bacon
Twisted.
Hicks—I hear that Brown's speech at the club dinner last night was quite funny. Wicks—The opening sentence was—very! He rose and said, "While I was sitting on my thought a chair struck me." Everybody roared.—Boston Transcript.

SUFFRAGISTS 40 YEARS AGO.
When Women Stormed a Senate Committee Room.

CONVENTION IN WASHINGTON.
It Terminated in a Demonstration Which Brought the Police to the Capitol—Incidents Like Those Now Occurring in London.
"Rampant Women Suffragists" is the "scare head" on the leading story of the Kansas City Times of forty years ago. The incidents of the story are not unlike those of the stories which appear almost every day in the London Times of the present.
The story is a dispatch from Washington dated Jan. 12, 1872. Many of the women who were leaders in the movement are widely known today. Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Stanton, Josephine Hooper and Victoria Woodhull are mentioned as being "in the ranks that filled up the passage leading up to the committee room with grim faces and loud, excited voices." Under the first bank of the headline is the line, "Three Hundred and Odd Strong-Minded Creatures on Duty Bent." The last bank of the headline states that "They Refuse to Listen to Entreaties and Are Treated to Police Court."

A woman suffrage convention had been in session in Washington for four days, and the story refers to the feeling of unrest and dissension "which has pervaded the very air of the city during that time." Just four years previously the fourteenth amendment was added to the constitution of the United States to give the right of the ballot to the recently freed slaves.
"All persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof are citizens of the United States and of the state wherein they reside," says the amendment. While this was intended solely for the benefit of the former slaves, the suffragettes saw in it "the opportunity for us to throw off the shackles which have galled and chafed our oppressed sex through all time," as one of the eloquent speakers had said in the convention.
"Slaves, slaves! Tell me of the enslaved race which has knelt to the tyranny of man's oppression so long and suffered so much as we. Then if this amendment is to set the negro slaves of men upon the pedestal of equality it shall also give to women the right which has been her fondest hope and dream through all these centuries."
The convention moved in a body to the committee room of the senate, where the question was to be debated. The women gathered in the corridor outside the room to wait for the arrival of the committee. "And so numerous were the 'gentler sex' that the members of the committee could not get to their room until the sergeant-at-arms called upon the women to clear the way," relates the Times. "He expostulated with the female suffragists and besought them to consider, but all to no effect. Not one would move to either side for fear of losing her chance to get into the room."
"Finally a large force of police were summoned, and they went forward and pushed the fluttering mass of crinolines back far enough to allow Trumbull and the other senators to march into the committee room. Speeches were made by Mrs. Stanton and others in which it was argued that the fourteenth amendment gave to women the right to vote. Such a scene has never been witnessed in the capital before, and in the case of their being men there would have been numerous arrests, as these women had obtained their rights."

HILL EPIGRAMS.
Great Railroad Builder Raps the Politicians.
A merger of the immigration of seven northwestern states for the development of these commonwealths is advocated by James J. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railway.
Mr. Hill's plan has reference to the states in the recently organized Northwestern Development league. They are Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and the territory of Alaska.
"Men must work out their own industrial salvation," declares Mr. Hill, "instead of trusting to politicians to do it for them."
He calls the territory involved "the zone of plenty" and in the course of his statement makes the following characteristic remarks:
"The conduct of business in the long run is not a mere scramble for the best place at the trough."
"Whenever this country has faltered or stood still it has been through reliance upon politicians."
"When they tell you that prosperity may be created and maintained by tariffs and other artifices laugh at them."
"We need honesty enough to live within our means."
"We need to understand that the future of men and commonwealths is created out of character and intelligent effort and not by anything which any political agency can accomplish."

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Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m., Sunday school noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. W. Boquist, pastor.
First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Juniper and Sixth streets: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12, Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Charles Fox Davis, pastor.
Morning, "God's Day of Judgment and the Rewards of Men." Evening "Jephthah's Rash Vow: The most Pathetic Tragedy in Holy Scripture." Fifth sermon in series of great themes of the bible. The choir will sing at both services, and Mr. Thomas Deakes will render a tenor solo at the evening service. Evening service at 7:45.
First Baptist church, Cor. 6th and Juniper Sts.: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12:00 m. Young Peoples' society at 7:00 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Chas B. Hilton, Pastor
People's Congregational church: Preaching 10:45 a. m., Sunday school 12 o'clock, noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. W. J. Horner, pastor.
Morning service 10:45, topic, "Reasons why Every Sensible Person should be a Christian." Sunday school at 12. Young peoples meetings at 6:30, topic, "Christian Endeavor Ideals." Evening service 7:30, topic, "God's Blockades on the Road to Hell." Everyone cordially invited.
Swedish Baptist: Preaching at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at 12:00 m. Young Peoples' Society meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting Thursday evening at 7:45. Kom med till Herrns hus! Karl A. Lundin, Pastor.
Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, near corner 10th and Bluff Avenue. Unless otherwise announced the following order will be observed as nearly as possible: Morning services 10:30 a. m., first and third Sunday every month. Evening services at 7:45 p. m., every Sunday in the month except the 4th, when the pastor is regularly at Pequot. No evening services Easter day, Pentecost or similar occasions. C. Hougstad, pastor.
Presbyterian church: Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:50. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00. All are always welcome. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.
St. Francis' Catholic church: Service will be held at 5:30 a. m., and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 o'clock p. m., vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m., mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. J. J. O'Mahoney, pastor.
First Congregational church, corner Juniper and Fifth streets. Morning worship 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45 P. M. Evening service 8:00. A cordial invitation to all services. Rev. G. P. Sheridan, pastor.
Rev. Frank Atkinson of Elk River will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. Mr. Atkinson has had great success in the ministry and will be listened to with much interest and profit. Morning service: 10:30 sermon, "The Marks of a Christian." Quartet: "Hear me when I Call." Evening service: 7:30, sermon, "Not to be Ministered unto but to Minister," duet by Messrs J. Bye and R. Crust.

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